## Message

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**Sent**: 7/22/2022 1:36:39 PM

**To**: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben [Alayon-Gonzalez.Ruben@epa.gov]

**CC**: Rosborough, Evelyn [rosborough.evelyn@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

## Thanks so much for your help Ru!

From: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben <Alayon-Gonzalez.Ruben@epa.gov>

Sent: Friday, July 22, 2022 8:26 AM

To: Young, Nichole < young.nichole@epa.gov>

**Cc:** Rosborough, Evelyn <rosborough.evelyn@epa.gov> **Subject:** RE: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

Good morning Nichole!

Everything is up and published on our respective webpages. Congrats! Now the real work begins 🔞

https://www.epa.gov/publicnotices/notices-search/location/Texas

https://www.epa.gov/publicnotices/notices-search/location/Louisiana

https://www.epa.gov/npdes-permits/support-documents-npdes-general-permit-offshore-oil-and-gas-operations-

western-gulf

From: Young, Nichole < young.nichole@epa.gov>

**Sent:** Thursday, July 21, 2022 8:03 AM

To: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben <<u>Alayon-Gonzalez.Ruben@epa.gov</u>>

Subject: RE: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

Awesome. Call me if you need me.

From: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben < Alayon-Gonzalez. Ruben@epa.gov>

Sent: Thursday, July 21, 2022 8:01 AM

**To:** Young, Nichole <<u>young.nichole@epa.gov</u>> **Subject:** RE: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

Received! Will work on this tomorrow AM.

Thanks!

From: Young, Nichole < <a href="mailto:young.nichole@epa.gov">young.nichole@epa.gov</a>>

Sent: Thursday, July 21, 2022 7:58 AM

To: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben <<u>Alayon-Gonzalez.Ruben@epa.gov</u>>

Subject: RE: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

Ru,

I copied the short url link to the site and the longer one as well.

https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2022-15648/permits-applications-issuances-etc-national-pollutant-discharge-elimination-system-general-permit

https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2022-15648

The Regional Administrator of Region 6 proposes to reissue the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) General Permit No. GMG290000 for existing and new sources and new dischargers in the Offshore Subcategory of the Oil and Gas Extraction Point Source Category (40 CFR Part 435, Subpart A), located in and discharging to the Outer Continental Shelf offshore of Louisiana and Texas. The discharge of produced water to that portion of the Outer Continental Shelf from Offshore Subcategory facilities located in the territorial seas of Louisiana and Texas is also authorized by this permit.

A complete draft permit and a fact sheet fully explaining the proposal are available online via the docket for this action at: <a href="http://www.regulations.gov">http://www.regulations.gov</a> (Docket ID. No. EPA-R06-OW-2022-06). A copy of the proposed permit, fact sheet, and this Federal Register Notice may also be found via the EPA Region 6 Web site at: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/npdes-permits/western-and-central-gulf-mexico-offshore-oil-gas-npdes-program">https://www.epa.gov/npdes-permits/western-and-central-gulf-mexico-offshore-oil-gas-npdes-program</a>. Please submit comments via Federal eRulemaking Portal at <a href="http://www.regulations.gov">https://www.regulations.gov</a> (Preferred method), email to <a href="mailto:rosborough.evelyn@epa.gov">rosborough.evelyn@epa.gov</a>, or by mail to U.S. EPA, Attn: Evelyn Rosborough, 1201 Elm Street, Dallas, Texas, 75270.

EPA plans to have in person and virtual meetings in late August. Exact locations, dates, and instructions for participating virtually will be announced online at the EPA Public Notices pages for Texas and Louisiana at <a href="https://www.epa.gov/publicnotices">https://www.epa.gov/publicnotices</a>, when available. Note that the in-person hearings will be contingent on Covid-19 status, at the hearing locations, and may be cancelled if Covid-19 risk levels are high.

Please note that if the permit expires before reissuance, the permit will automatically go into administrative continuance for all permittees with existing coverage as provided by the administrative procedures act. In the event that there is a short lapse between the expiration of the current permit and the effective date of the reissuance, new dischargers that wish to have authorization under the current permit may apply for permit coverage prior to the expiration date of September 30th, 2022.

From: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben < Alayon-Gonzalez. Ruben@epa.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, July 20, 2022 11:36 AM

To: Young, Nichole < <a href="mailto:young.nichole@epa.gov">young.nichole@epa.gov</a>

Subject: RE: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

Thanks Nichole!

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Sent: Wednesday, July 20, 2022 11:01 AM

To: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben <Alayon-Gonzalez.Ruben@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

I will send you the link to the federal register tomorrow and copy everything again so its all in one place. Im not sure if you need the first two paragraphs but the second two talk about the hearings and admin continuance. David okd them.

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From: Alayon-Gonzalez, Ruben <Alayon-Gonzalez.Ruben@epa.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, July 20, 2022 10:04 AM
To: Young, Nichole < <a href="mailto:young.nichole@epa.gov">young.nichole@epa.gov</a>
Subject: Blurb for Public Meeting and Hearing

EPA plans to have in person meeting & hearing along with a virtual one in late August. Exact locations and dates will be published when available. Note that the in-person hearing will be contingent on Covid-19 status at the hearing locations and might get cancelled if levels of Covid-19 infections are high.

Ruben Alayon-Gonzalez Water Division Permitting Section (WDPE) 214-665-2785